SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph on page 6, starting at line 7 with the following entry:

The hinge structure 206 in the invention is attached to or detached from the base unit 202 by means of a fixing device. The fixing device can be screws 216a and 216b for instance. Screws 216a and 216b, passing through the screw holes 218a and 218b on the base unit 202, are fastened to the tooling holes on the hinge section 208 (not shown in the diagram). If the hinge structure 206 is to be detached from the base unit 202, the user just needs to unscrew screws ~~2161~~216a and 216b from screw holes ~~2181~~218a and 218b, and the tooling holes. The assembly and disassembly is thus made easy.

Please replace the paragraph on page 7, starting at line 10 with the following entry:

In order to facilitate the signal transmission between the LCD 228 and the buttons as in FIG. 2A, a flexible circuit board 230 (as shown in dotted lines in FIG. 2B) can be installed in the mobile phone 200 as illustrated in FIG. 1B in practical application. The flexible circuit board 230 can be made of flexible materials such that its flexibility is even better than the circuit board 120 as in FIG. 1B. The flexible circuit board 230 must be located inside the base unit 202, the protection casing 221 and the display unit 204 to facilitating electric communication between the LCD ~~116~~228 and buttons and assuring a normal operation. Since the display unit 204 closes to and opens from the base unit 202 so frequently, the flexible circuit board 230 could easily break because of frequent bending. According to the invention, the flexible circuit board 230 is

particularly designed to have a winding 232 to enhance the flexibility and avoid breaking so as to prolong the service life of the flexible circuit board 230.